

**CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS
SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**BOARD OF ALDERMEN CHAMBERS
REGULAR MEETING – October 3, 2005 - 7:00 P.M.**

ORDER OF BUSINESS

I. CALL TO ORDER

Call to order with a moment of silence and a salute to the flag of the United States of America.

II. AWARDS AND CITATIONS

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

There were no minutes submitted for approval this evening.

Minutes to be approved for printing:

September 12, 2005

- Regular Meeting

September 14, 2005

- Long Range Planning Committee of the Whole Meeting

September 19, 2005

- Regular Meeting

IV. STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

V. REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

VI. REPORT OF SUBCOMMITTEES

A. *Ed. Programs and Instruction Subcommittee:* Ms. Taylor (Sept. 21)

Subject(s) discussed:

- ✓ English Language Learners (ELL) Professional Development
- ✓ English Language Learners (ELL) New Materials
- ✓ Block Scheduling
- ✓ Approval of In-Service Courses

Motion from Subcommittee:

- To approve In-Service Workshop "Planning a Family Literacy Night".

VI. REPORT OF SUBCOMMITTEES (cont.)**B. *Personnel Committee of the Whole:*** Ms. Cardoso (Sept. 26)

Subject(s) discussed:

- ✓ Staffing for 2005/06

C. *Finance and Facilities Committee of the Whole:* Ms. Bastardi (Sept. 26)

Subject(s) discussed:

- ✓ Custodial Services
- ✓ FY2005 Billrolls

Motion from Subcommittee:

- To approve the FY2005 Billrolls

D. *Long Range Planning Committee of the Whole:* Ms. Harris (Sept. 28)

Subject(s) discussed:

- ✓ 2005-2006 School Committee Goals Continuation

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**VIII. NEW BUSINESS****A. SHS Summer School Graduates – (Recommended Action: Approval)**

Mr. Thomas F. Galligani, SHS Headmaster, recommending that the following students, who have successfully completed summer school and earned the required credits, be granted a SHS diploma:

Jeff Andrade	Edward Phillips
Michael Blasi	Aaron Powell
Henry Burgos	Lanaise Ramsey
Elton DaSilva	Edwin Regaldo
Yi Ding	Amarylis Rivera
Munavierge Ducasse	Carlos Rodriguez
Christopher Farino	Brandon Tighe
Sagel Friendsmith	Danielle Valmont
Lyns Jean-Baptiste	Paulo Veloso
Aoife Kearns	Courtney Vivian
Thomas Medeiros	John White
Guilherme Pacheco	

VIII. NEW BUSINESS (cont.)**B. Field Trip(s) – (Recommended Action: Approval)**

Oct. 14, 2005: Next Wave School, Mr. Blackmer and Ms. Gallant's class, to Mount Monadnock, New Hampshire. Transportation by school van at a cost of –0– per student.

IX. ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS**X. COMMUNICATIONS****XI. PERSONNEL**

Complete report submitted to members. Recommended Actions: Receive and place on file.

A. Retirement

1. Vincent Camelio, 90 Worcester Lane, Waltham, MA 02451 (Math Teacher @ SHS) effective 7/9/06. (38 YEARS)

B. Resignations

1. Alfred Ghirarda, 273 Forest St., Methuen, MA 01844 (Utility Aide @ SHS) effective 9/6/05.
2. Derek Osedach, 9 Carlow Way, Hazlet, NJ 07730 (Lead Teacher @ Community Schools) effective 9/6/05

C. Maternity Leave of Absence

1. Anne Irwin, 205 Falcon St., E. Boston, MA 02128, (School Adjustment Counselor @ SHS) effective 10/3/05.

XII. ADJOURNMENT